

ISSUES OF BONDS FOR GOOD ROADS

They Are Becoming of Every-Day Occurrence in Virginia.

SOUTHWEST AT THE FRONT

It Is Fully Awake to the Modern Spirit of Improved Highways.

Bond issues for good roads, actual and prospective, are becoming every-day occurrences in Virginia. The organization of the Washington County Good Roads Association at Cedarville Wednesday with the avowed purpose of asking for the issuance of \$300,000 of securities to provide the county with a series of improved highways is the latest development along this line, and is good news to State Highway Commissioner P. St. Julien Wilson. The Cedarville meeting was held under the auspices of the State Commission, and was addressed by Assistant Commissioner Coleman and Senator Charles T. Lassiter.

The roads recently built by State aid in the Glade Springs Magisterial District of Washington County were inspected by those in attendance at Wednesday's meeting. This is the first point in the State at which convict labor was used on public highways, and the people of the district are so well pleased with the results that work has since been continuous.

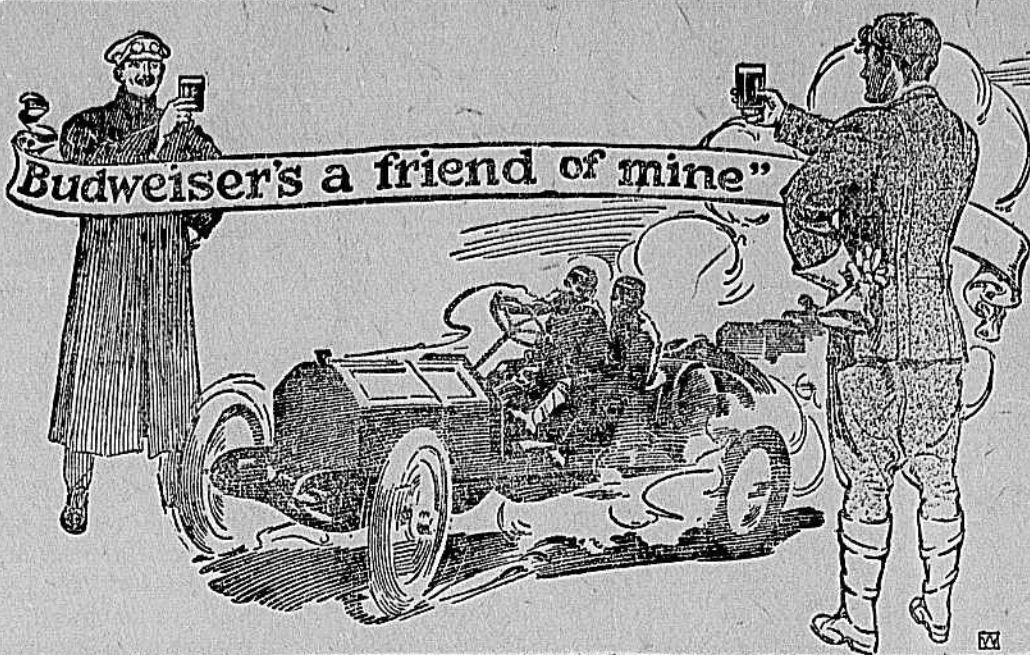
The first road was built from Meadow View to the Holston River. A road is now being built, also with convict labor, from Glade Springs to Damascus, near the North Carolina line.

Another detachment of convicts is at work on a road from Jonesville, the county seat of Lee county, to Ben Hur, a railway station on the Louisville and Nashville.

New Roads in Southwest.
The Southwest is fully awake to the modern spirit of improved highways. In addition to the model roads which have so vastly bettered conditions in the Glade Springs district of Washington County, preparations are being made for a system of roads in the Abingdon district, in the same county. New construction is being started in all directions from the town of Abingdon, a percentage of the receipts from the town liquor dispensary being devoted to this purpose. With the aid of citizens living along the road to Bristol, it is likely that within a year the road running south from Abingdon will be completed to a point near the Bristol corporation line, whence the border city will complete it into connection with the city streets.

State aid is being extended Smyth county in the building of a road from Seven-Mile Ford to Chilhowie, while in Wise county there is under construction a highway from Wise Court-house to Norton, the terminus of the Clinch Valley division of the Norfolk and Western Railway and of the Cumberland Gap division of the Louisville and Nashville.

Three roads running out from Wytheville are to be improved. One of these is the old ante-bellum "rock road," while the road to Bland Court-



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NEGRO WILL RUN

Democrat in Charlotte County Not Worried About Hayes.
It seems probable that a negro will furnish the only opposition to Murphy D. Adams, of Charlotte county, who is a candidate to succeed himself in the House of Delegates. Mr. Adams has been nominated by the Democrats.

Last April L. R. Tucker was nominated by a Republican convention to succeed Mr. Adams, but later on the anti-lily white faction got together, held a meeting, and named W. H. Hayes, colored, for the position. It is understood that since the latter happened Mr. Tucker has declined to allow the use of his name, and will not file notice of his candidacy with the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

In the meantime, Mr. Adams is reported to be resting easily at night.

CLERK FLOURNOY RESIGNS

Gives Up Direction of Second Market After Eighteen Years of Service.
After eighteen years of service, Clerk J. F. Flournoy, of the Second Market, forwarded to Mayor Richardson yesterday his resignation, giving as his reason for retiring that he plans to enter business as a stall holder in the market, in partnership with his son. He has been clerk for eighteen years. The position will be filled by the Council Committee on Markets, and the new clerk will have charge of the arrangement and location of stalls in the new vegetable market, under the Blues' Armory, now nearing completion. With the date that he proposed to the meat market building, the clerk will have under his charge the most complete and up-to-date establishment in the State. Squire Louie Graves is a candidate for the office.

YOUNG MAN HAS BAD FALL

Clarence Toombs, of 520 South Pine Street, Seriously Injured.
Clarence Toombs, seventeen years old, of 520 South Pine Street, fell thirty feet from the second-story ledge over Owens & Minor's drug store, 1007 East Main Street, yesterday morning, severely injuring himself. He was badly cut about the face and head, his nose was cut, and his tongue was split about half an inch from the tip. Dr. Casby, of the city ambulance, who was called to attend him, also fears internal injuries. The boy was borne into the drug

Statement Showing Financial Condition of 239 State Banks in Virginia, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 23, 1909.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$49,108,443 85
Overdrafts	141,450 48
Bonds, securities, etc., owned	5,463,511 92
Banking houses	1,742,218 18
Other real estate owned	170,000 02
Furniture and fixtures	531,853 30
Exchanges and checks for next day's clearing	317,250 77
Other cash items	122,854 48
Due from national banks	6,550,178 11
Due from State banks, private bankers and trust companies	1,739,743 24
Paper currency	1,927,341 00
Fractional paper currency, notes and cents	60,524 98
Gold coin	280,731 82
Silver coin	263,607 75
All other items of resource	142,902 57
Total resources	\$60,212,935 63
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$11,327,521 40
Surplus fund	4,308,319 54
Undivided profits	2,864,752 40
Dividends unpaid	12,413 00
Individual deposits subject to check	\$24,290,602 28
Savings deposits	13,203,500 91
Demand certificates of deposit	2,301,818 36
Time certificates of deposit	6,033,410 40
Certified checks	119,227 07
Cashiers' checks outstanding	101,894 13
Total deposits	67,047,722 25
Due to national banks	582,772 20
Due to State banks, private bankers and trust companies	1,302,820 10
Notes and bills rediscounted	553,804 79
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit representing money borrowed	752,283 54
All other items of liability	432,426 80
Total liabilities	\$60,212,935 63

store for temporary treatment, and was afterwards taken to the home of his grandmother, Mrs. T. J. Williams, with whom he lives.

Toombs had left his key behind him, and was attempting to get through a window into the office of Dr. Flake, by whom he is employed as assistant, when he fell.

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Better sleep,
Steady nerves,
Good digestion,
Clear Brains
follow a change from coffee to well-made

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It's easy to break the coffee grip and get hold of that feeling of freedom and power to "do things" that comes with returning health.

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BOYS BELIEVE WITH MRS. GILL

Orphans Take Cook's Side and Hope to See Cupid Special Run to North Pole.

"I would not be surprised to see the day when I may conduct an excursion to the North Pole," said Mrs. Gill, of Cupid's Special fame, last night, "for the aeroplane will soon make it possible. Perhaps, though, love's young dream might freeze in that land of ice, and it might be a doubtful experiment."

"I am inclined to believe in Dr. Cook's position. He is a most remarkable man, laboring under terrific disadvantages and hardships, deprived of the magnificent equipment and backing which Peary has had. He seemed to be determined to do or die. Dr. Cook's discovery is, to my mind, really the most wonderful achievement of the age, and it places him ahead of any man I ever knew. Alone and unaided, he succeeded in this seemingly impossible feat, and I believe that he is to be given much more credit than the experienced and well-equipped Peary."

The discovery has created great interest at the Marine Corps Asylum, and the boys are greatly divided between the respective merits of Dr. Cook and Commander Peary, the majority believing with me in the superiority of the former."

Mrs. Gill leaves to-day for Washington to complete arrangements for her next excursion to the capital with Cupid's Special. The memorable trip will be taken on Monday, September 20, and already a goodly number of young people have signified their intention to go on the amorous journey. Cupid is getting busy in his arrow factory, and will expect much sport on the day appointed.

AMUSEMENTS

Bijou—"Way Down East,"
Lubin-Vaudeville.

"The Lion and the Mouse."
In spite of a steady downpour of rain, a good audience gathered at the Academy of Music last night to witness the fourth performance in Richmond of Charles Klein's great play, "The Lion and the Mouse," and a satisfactory performance it was. The play itself is such a masterpiece of playwriting that it would be enjoyed even if presented by a poor company, and that was not the case last night. Two of the three principal parts were very well played. Miss Carolyn Elberts, an unusually pretty woman, was winning and attractive as Shirley Rossmore, and Walter Edwards, as "Ready Money" Rider, was sufficient and compelling. Charles D. Pitt's playing of Jefferson Ryder was unsatisfactory. The rest of the cast was acceptable.

Hunt Alleged Murderers Here.

A telegram was received early this morning from the Chief of Police of Norfolk instructing the police of this city to look out for Joe, alias "Red" Brady, a white man, and Silas Pown, colored, wanted there for murder. The messages did not give the name of the man they were supposed to have killed, but gave a description of the men wanted. Nothing was heard of them here last night.

Direct Hinds' Farmers' Union.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., September 9.—Charles S. Barrett, of Union City, Ga., was elected president of the Farmers' Co-operative and Educational Union to-day.

Building Permits.

Building and repair permits were issued yesterday as follows:
Mrs. Mary W. Clay, to repair a two-story, frame dwelling, 1014 North Twenty-second Street, to cost \$180.
John H. Braxton, to repair a two-story frame dwelling, 208 West Leigh Street, to cost \$200.
B. J. Franklin, to repair a two-story frame dwelling, 311 West Leigh Street, to cost \$125.
A. Bottigheimer, to repair a three-story brick dwelling, 321 East Leigh Street, to cost \$375.

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Street Committee Reorganizes.

The Street Committee of the City Council held its reorganization meeting last night at the City Hall, presided over by Chairman M. A. Campbell, sub-chairman.

It was decided by the committee to allow a gutter to be placed at the corner of Sixth and Perry Streets. The regular meeting of the City Assembly will be held to-night.

There will be a joint session of the two branches of the City Council on Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of electing city officers.

Davis Council, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, held an enthusiastic and interesting meeting last night at Eighteenth and St. Albans Streets. State Councilor L. R. Smith and his secretary, T. Gray Haddon, both of Richmond, were among the guests, and addressed the meeting. Addresses were also made by Willis C. Fulliam, Judge Ernest H. Wells and others.

The attendance was the largest during the year, and the new members were initiated and five applications were submitted.

The lawn party which was to be given on the corner of the corner by the ladies of Central Church was postponed on account of rain, as was also the lawn party at Woodland Heights for the benefit of the West End Methodist Church.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

S. A. M. temperature 66
Humidity 78
Wind direction 78 S.E.
Wind velocity 78 S.E.
Weather 78 S.E.
Rainfall 78 S.E.
2 P. M. temperature 69
Maximum temperature up to 6 P. M. 74
Minimum temperature up to 6 P. M. 62
Normal temperature 63
Deficiency in temperature yesterday 5
Deficiency in temperature since March 1 256
Accum. excess in temperature since January 1 90
Deficiency in rainfall since March 1 3.59
Accum. deficiency in rainfall since January 1 3.77

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THE WEATHER

Forecast: Virginia—Showers Friday; Saturday partly cloudy; light south winds, becoming variable.
North Carolina—Partly cloudy Friday; with showers and partial rain, north portion; Saturday fair; moderate south winds, becoming variable.

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By Pollard & Bagby,
AUCTION SALE, TO CLOSE AN ESTATE, OF AN ELEGANT
Grove Avenue Home
No. 1718.
We will sell at auction, on the premises, on **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH,** at 5:30 o'clock, the above-mentioned desirable property. The house has about twelve rooms, is splendidly arranged and very attractive in every particular. It is seldom that such property is on the market.
TERMS: Easy; announced at sale.
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Postponement to above date on account of rain.

Auction Sales, Future Days.

By R. B. Chaffin & Co. (Inc.),
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No. 1111 E. Main St.

TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE

OF
VALUABLE POULTRY AND TRUCK
FARM, IN CHESTERFIELD COUNTY,
VA. ABOUT SIX MILES FROM
MANCHESTER, AND NEAR THE
COURTHOUSE ROAD.

Acting under a trust deed from E. G. Townsend, dated October 20, 1908, recorded in the clerk's office of Chesterfield county in Deed Book 116, page 194, default having been made in the payment of certain money therein secured, and being so required by the noteholder, I will sell by public auction at Chesterfield Courthouse, on **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1909,** at 12 M., the real estate described in said deed as follows: "All the certain piece or parcel of land lying and being in Dale Magisterial District, of Chesterfield county, State of Virginia, containing thirty-eight (38) acres, more or less, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and bounded as follows: On the west by the lands of William Archer and Randolph Morgan, on the east and south by Taylor's, and on the west by the lands of William Archer and others," and being the same real estate conveyed to said E. G. Townsend by deed of trust and policy of insurance, one for \$954, due three years from October 20, 1908, three for \$27 each, due forty-two, forty-eight and fifty-four months from October 20, 1908, and one for \$27, due five years from October 20, 1908; all of said payments to be evidenced by negotiable notes and secured on said property by deed of trust and policy of insurance on the buildings for not less than \$1,200, and should there be any residue of purchase money, the same shall be paid in cash.

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Real Estate for Sale.

MONUMENT AVENUE
Beautiful 40 foot lot, between Allison and Addison Streets, at a very low figure. By far the cheapest lot on the avenue.
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FOR SALE.

A Farm of 98 3-4 Acres, Near Kild's Mill, Hanover County, Va. House of four rooms, in good condition, a well, and due five years from October 20, 1908; all of said payments to be evidenced by negotiable notes and secured on said property by deed of trust and policy of insurance on the buildings for not less than \$1,200, and should there be any residue of purchase money, the same shall be paid in cash.

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Real Estate and Loans.

11 North Eleventh Street.

Real Estate for Rent.

For a Boarding House
OR TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, NOTHING BETTER.
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Veterans on Excursion.

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y., September 9.—Veterans of the Blue and the Gray, of the Richmond Post No. 10, are holding a reunion at Utica, visited Cooperstown to-day. After an elaborate luncheon, they were taken on an excursion around Otsego Lake, and left for Utica.

The Nines Run Well.

Yesterday the ninth day of the month month of the year, nine hundred and ninth year, anno domini, and nobody seemed to notice it.

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